



FALL SKATING 2026

ON AND OFF ICE CLASSES

September 9—December 11

Registration Dates:

Niles Resident, All 2026/27 Team IceLand Members, and
current 2026 Summer Session skaters:
August 1 to August 13

Open Registration: August 14 to September 1

\$5.00 Off for registration completed on or before 8/31/26.

No classes November 23 through 28

Monday Classes—9 Weeks—Start date: 9/14

Wednesday Classes—13 Weeks—Start date: 9/9

Thursday Classes—13 Weeks—Start date: 9/10

Friday Classes—9 Weeks—Start date: 9/11

Saturday Classes—8 Weeks—Start date: 9/12



2026 Fall Session

The Fall Session **registration begins August 1 to August 13 for Niles Residents, 2026/27 Team IceLand Members, & returning Summer Session skaters. Open registration is from August 14 to September 1. *There is a \$5.00 discount for anyone who registers by August 31.*** Classes are between 8 & 13 weeks depending on the day and time. Skaters are encouraged to join our Santa's Hollyday Follies, Santa's Magical Journey ice show. The fall session **starts on September 9. Class ending dates vary based on the skaters class.**

IMPORTANT: It is very important for you to register during the designated registration period. This will help insure your skater gets a spot in the appropriate class and that classes are not overcrowded or cancelled.

IceLand does not pro-rate fees for missed classes. **No Make-Ups for missed classes. No refunds for any reason.**

There will be **NO** classes 11/23-11/28.

Program Title	Code	Sec	Day	Time	Res	Non-Res
Ages 3-5 Parent/Tot	433011	15	Sat (8 weeks)	11:50am-12:20pm	\$113.00	\$136.00
Tot Beginner	433011	03	Thurs (13 weeks)	5:35p.m.-6:05p.m.	\$173.00	\$208.00
Tot Beginner	433011	09	Sat (8 weeks)	11:50a.m.-12:20p.m	\$113.00	\$136.00
Tot 1	433011	06	Thurs (13 weeks)	5:35p.m.-6:05p.m.	\$173.00	\$208.00
Tot 1/Tot 2 Comb.	433011	02	Sat (8 weeks)	11:50am-12:20p.m.	\$113.00	\$136.00
Tot 2/ Snowplow Sam 2	433012	02	Thurs (13 weeks)	5:35p.m.-6:05p.m.	\$173.00	\$208.00
Tot 3/ Snowplow Sam 3	433013	03	Sat (8 weeks)	11:05a.m.-11:35a.m.	\$113.00	\$136.00
Tot 4/ Snowplow Sam 4	433014	03	Sat (8 weeks)	11:05a.m.-11:35a.m.	\$113.00	\$136.00
Ages 6-13 Beginner	433101	07	Mon (9 weeks)	5:20pm-5:50pm	\$127.00	\$151.00
Beginner	433101	01	Thurs (13 weeks)	6:25pm-6:55pm	\$173.00	\$208.00
Beginner	433101	05	Sat (8 weeks)	11:05am-11:35a.m.	\$113.00	\$136.00
Pre Alpha 1/ Basic 1	433111	01	Mon (9 weeks)	5:20-5:50p.m.	\$127.00	\$151.00
Pre Alpha 1/ Basic 1	433111	02	Thurs (13 weeks)	5:35p.m.-6:05p.m.	\$173.00	\$208.00

Freeskate 2	433212-02	Mon	4:40-5:20p.m.(9 weeks)	\$160	\$194
Freeskate 3	433213-02	Mon	4:40-5:20p.m.(9 weeks)	\$160	\$194
Freeskate 4/5	433214-02	Mon	4:40-5:20p.m.(9 weeks)	\$160	\$194
Freeskate 6 & up	433216-02	Mon	4:40-5:20p.m.(9 weeks)	\$160	\$194

Monday Classes—End on 11/9/26

Wednesday Classes—End on 12/9/26

Thursday Classes—End on 12/10/26

Friday Classes—End on 11/6/26

Saturday Classes—End on 10/31/26

2026 Holiday Ice Show

Santa's Holliday Follies

Santa's magical Journey



Performances December 12 at 6:30pm

& 13 at 12:30pm , 2026

Full information packet available now!

**Registration
accepted in person at IceLand
ONLY
or
through e-mail to
Aforbes@niles-parks.org
only.**

Pre Alpha 2/ Basic 2	433112	02	Thurs	6:25-6:55 p.m.(13 weeks)	\$173.00	\$208.00
Pre Alpha 2/ Basic 2	433112	01	Mon	5:20p.m.-5:50p.m.(9 weeks)	\$113.00	\$136.00
Alpha 1/ Basic 3	433113	02	Thurs	6:15 p.m.-6:55p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Alpha 1/ Basic 3	433113	03	Sat	11:05a.m.-11:45a.m(8 weeks)	\$144.00	\$169.00
Alpha 2/ Basic 4	433114	02	Thurs	6:15p.m.-6:55p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Alpha 2/ Basic 4	433114	03	Sat	11:05am-11:45am(8 weeks)	\$144.00	\$169.00
Beta 1/ Basic 5	433115	02	Thurs	5:35p.m.-6:15p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Beta 1/ Basic 5	433115	03	Sat	11:05am-11:45am(8 weeks)	\$144.00	\$169.00
Beta 2/ Basic 5	433116	02	Thurs	5:35p.m.-6:15p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Beta 2/ Basic 5	433116	03	Sat	11:05-11:45am(8 weeks)	\$144.00	\$169.00
Gamma/ Basic 6	433117	02	Thurs	6:15p.m.-6:55p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Delta/ Basic 6	433118	02	Thurs	6:15-6:55 p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Pre Freeskate	433211	03	Thurs	6:15-6:55p.m.(13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00
Freeskate 1	433211	02	Thurs	6:15-6:55pm (13 weeks)	\$221.00	\$270.00

IceLand Ice Arena
8435 W. Ballard Road
Niles, IL 60714

Phone: (847) 297-8010
www.niles-parks.org



Specialty Classes



Power and Style—Freestyle Levels FS4 and Above

8 Weeks

433119-06

Saturdays

10:30am-11am

Res. \$95.00

Non Res. \$118.00

**Or permission from
the skating director.*

Freestyle Off Ice Conditioning—FS 2 and Above

8 Weeks

433119-03

Saturdays

11:15am-12:05pm

Res. \$152.00

Non Res. \$190.00

Alpha thru Freestyle 3 Power

433119-01

9 Weeks

Mondays

5:20-5:50p.m.

Res. \$112

Non Res. \$132

Pre Alpha through FS 1 Off Ice Conditioning

433119-04

8 Weeks

Saturdays

10:25am-11:15am

Res. \$152.00

Non Res. \$190.00

Ballet Level 1

433119-07

8 Weeks

Saturdays

9:45am-10:25am

Res. \$185.00

Non Res. \$232.00

Floor Barre—Permission required.

433119-08

9 Weeks

Mondays

5:30pm-6:30pm

Res. \$210.00

Non Res. \$251.00

Inter/Adv Ballet Level 2—Permission required.

433119-05

13 Weeks

Wednesdays

5:10-6:10p.m.

Res. \$300.00

Non Res. \$365.00

Jump Workshop—Level 1—Passed Delta through Freestyle 4

433119-13

9 Weeks

Fridays

5:10-5:40p.m. On ice

5:45-6:15p.m. Off ice

Res. \$210.00

Non Res. \$251.00

Jump Workshop—Level 2—Passed Freestyle 5 & Up

433119-14

9 Weeks

Fridays

Must have a consistent axel.

5:10-5:40p.m. On ice

5:45-6:15p.m. Off ice

Res. \$210.00

Non Res. \$251.00

Spin Workshop—Level 1/Level 2

433119-16

8 Weeks

Saturdays

9:40-10:20 am

Res. \$126.00

Non Res. \$151.00

This class is not eligible for half off.

*** SPECIALTY CLASS OFFER ***

BUY ONE—GET ONE 1/2 OFF OF THE LOWER PRICED CLASS

FOR THE SAME SKATER.

**APPLIES TO NILES RESIDENTS AND TEAM ICELAND GOLD CLUB
MEMBERS ONLY.**

Spin Workshop class is not eligible for half off.



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Wednesday Classes—End on 12/9/26
Thursday Classes—End on 12/10/26
Friday Classes—End on 11/6/26
Saturday Classes—End on 10/31/26



IceLand Program Registration Form

Primary

Address: _____

Last Name

First Name

City: _____ State: _____ Zip: _____ Email: _____

Home Phone: (_____) _____ - _____ Work/Cell Phone: (_____) _____ - _____

Program Code	Sec.	Program Title	Day	Fee	Registrant's First & Last Name	Age- M/F	Birth Date	School
				\$				
				\$				
				\$				
				\$				

All Registration must be complete in person at IceLand or you can e-mail:

Aforbes@niles-parks.org

Phone: (847) 297-8010

Payment Method:

› Cash

² Check

² Visa

¶ Master Card

¶ Discover Card

\$ Total Fees

Credit Card Information

Name: _____ Exp. Date: ____/____

Signature: _____ Amt.: \$____.____

Card Number: _____ - _____ - _____ - _____

ICE-SKATING PROGRAM WAIVER & RELEASE

IMPORTANT INFORMATION

The Niles Park District is committed to conducting its recreation programs and activities in a safe manner and holds the safety of participants in high regard. The Niles park District continually strives to reduce such risks and insists that all participants follow safety rules and instructions that are designed to protect the participants' safety. However, participants and parents/guardians of minors registering for this program must recognize that there is an inherent risk of injury when choosing to participate in recreational activities. You are solely responsible for determining if you or your minor child/ward are physically fit and/or adequately skilled for ice-skating activities. It is always advisable, especially if the participant is pregnant, disabled in any way or recently suffered an illness, injury or impairment, to consult a physician before undertaking any physical activity.

WARNING OF RISK

Ice-skating is intended to challenge and engage the physical, mental and emotional resources of the participant. Despite careful and proper preparation, instruction, medical advice, conditioning and equipment, there is still a risk of serious injury, including but not limited to head injury, neck or back injury, wrist and ankle fractures, and other orthopedic injuries to limbs and joints. All hazards and dangers cannot be foreseen. The very nature of ice- skating is risky, including but not limited to slip and falls, colliding with other players of varying degrees of skill (including being struck from behind), tripping on irregular ice surfaces, cuts from skate blades, inadequate or defective equipment, ill-fitting skates, failure in supervision or instruction, horseplay, carelessness, poor technique, poor conditioning, rule violations, striking a stationary object, premises defects outside the rink, and all other risks inherent to the sport of ice-skating. In this regard, it must be recognized that it is impossible for the Niles Park District to guarantee absolute safety.

WAIVER AND RELEASE OF ALL CLAIMS AND ASSUMPTION OF RISK

Please read this form carefully and be aware that in signing up and participating in the above identified programs/activities, you will be expressly assuming the risk and legal liability and waiving and releasing all claims for injuries, damages or loss which you or your minor child/ward might sustain as a result of participating in any and all activities connected with and associated with said programs/activities (including transportation services/vehicle operation, when provided). I recognize and acknowledge that there are certain risks of physical injury to participants in these programs/activities, and I voluntarily agree to assume the full risk of any and all injuries, damages or loss, regardless of severity, that my minor child/ward or I may sustain as a result of said participation. I further agree to waive and relinquish all claims I or my minor child/ward may have (or accrue to me or my child/ward) as a result of participating in all these programs/activities against the Niles Park District, including its officials, agents, volunteers and employees (here-in after collectively referred as "District"). I do hereby fully release and forever discharge the District from any and all claims for injuries, damages, or loss that my minor child/ward or I may have or which may accrue to me or my minor child/ward and arising out of, connected with, or in any way associated with these programs/activities. If registering on-line or via fax, your on-line or facsimile signature shall substitute for and have the same legal effect as an original form signature. Additionally, by signing this form, I am certifying that I qualify for the rate charged (i.e. If resident rate was charged, I am/my children are residents of the Niles Park District). If this is proven untrue, I realize that my park district privileges may be suspended or revoked. Photos are periodically taken of participants in a class, during a special event or at the District's parks. Please be aware that these photos are for Park District use only and may be used in the District's publications.

I have read and fully understand the above important, warning or risk, assumption of risk and waiver and release of all claims. PARTICIPATION WILL BE DENIED if the signature of adult participation or parent/guardian and date are not on this waiver.

NO REFUNDS issued after start of session. NO MAKE-UPS for missed classes.

Signature: _____

Date: _____

Staff Initials: _____



Ballet Level 1 – Ballet Level 1—Open to anyone who has never taken ballet before or has little experience in ballet or floor barre.

Basic ballet skills, terminology, rhythm, and coordination are taught, practiced, and developed through creative movement, music, and mime in a supportive and supervised environment. Taking ballet more than once a week is very beneficial to all skaters.

Off Ice Conditioning for Skaters – Learn to Skate Level and Freestyle Level

Skaters need more than just on ice training. Off ice conditioning is vital to a good on ice performance. The focus of this class will be on core strength, stability, balance, explosive power, flexibility, and off ice jump technique. Students will participate in a challenging workout that should help improve their on ice performance. Skaters must have a good pair of cross training shoes, a jump rope, an exercise mat, and water.

Power Skating—Take your skating to a new level! – Alpha through FS 3 (Mon.) and FS 4 and above Level (Sat.)

This class focuses on improving edge quality and power while developing artistry and presentation. Each class will have a different focus. All aspects of skating will be explored; edges, turns, endurance, strength, and control. Aerobic and anaerobic systems will be put to the test each week. Exercises and drills may be performed to music.

Ballet Level 2 — Must have permission from the Skating Director

It is well known that figure skating and ballet are closely related and compliment each other. All aspects of off ice dance class and techniques apply directly to figure skating techniques. By perfecting positions and balance off the ice in dance class, on ice performance can benefit greatly. Add in the artistry of dance and a complete on ice package should be within the reach of any dedicated skater. Taking ballet more than once a week is very beneficial to all skaters.

Floor Barre—Must have permission from the Skating Director

Floor Barre is a cross training workout that improves skaters' strength and flexibility, with an emphasis on skeletal and muscular alignment necessary for on and off ice maneuvers. It will help improve your spins and spiral positions while increasing muscular strength necessary for bigger and higher jumps. This full body workout also increases core strength and tones the athletes' body. Student must receive permission from the Skating Director to participate in this class.

Jump Workshop— Age: Any—Must have passed ISI Freestyle 3 and above.

Level 1: Delta through FS 4 Level 2: Passed FS 5 and above, landing an axel. Skating Directors permission required for Level 2.

This class will focus only on jump drills and jump techniques. There will be an off ice and on ice portion to the class that will compliment one another. Skaters must attend both portions of the class. Skaters may be divided by ability level. Enrollment is at the discretion of the skating director.

Spin Workshop— Age: Any— Level 1 - Gamma through Freestyle 4 / Level 2—Passed Freestyle 4 and above levels or permission from the skating director.

This class will focus only on spin entrances, exits, balance, and positions. Skater should be able to do clean forward and backward spins. Features will be introduced. Enrollment is at the discretion of the skating director. Skaters will be divided at the Skating Directors discretion.

TOT CLASSES (AGES 3-6)

PARENT & TOT

This class is designed for preschoolers accompanied by an adult. Instructional time is 30 minutes. Under the guidance of one of our very qualified staff, children and parents will learn the basics of skating through games, songs and having fun. Skaters will get on the ice in skates starting week 1. Class weeks 1 & 2 will start off ice and then move on ice. Beginning week 3, skaters will be on ice only. Parents must wear skates for this class. All participants will be on the ice each week of class. Class will always meet instructor in assigned locker room.

TOT BEGINNER

For the skater who has never taken a class before. This is an introductory class. Precedes Tot 1. Begins off-ice week 1 and 2 for 10-15 minutes and then enters the ice. All participants will be on the ice each week of class. Class will always meet instructor in assigned locker room.

TOT 1: PRE-REQUISITE TOT BEGINNER.

This class is designed to teach your basic skating skills. Standing, falling, getting up, marching, standing dips, 2 foot glides, moving dips and moving falls.

TOT 2: PRE-REQUISITE TOT 1.

This class emphasizes marching, moving dips, 2 foot glides, 2 foot jumps, 1 foot glides, forward swizzles, back wiggles, scooter pushes.

TOT 3: PRE-REQUISITE TOT 2.

This class emphasizes forward swizzles, snow plow stops, 1 foot glides, T-position pushes, zig-zag stroking, moving backward swizzles, forward pumps.

LEARN TO SKATE CLASSES (AGES 6 & UP)

PRE-ALPHA 1/BASIC 1: PRE-REQUISITE HAS COMPLETED THE BEGINNER CLASS, PARENT/BEG, OR 1 TERM OF PRE-ALPHA 1.

This introductory class is designed to teach your basic skating skills. Skaters are taught proper techniques on falling, getting up and balance, 2-foot glides, dips, scooter pushes, forward swizzles and one-foot glides.

PRE-ALPHA 2/BASIC 2: PRE-REQUISITE PRE-ALPHA 1.

Advanced balance with emphasis on swizzles forward and backward, 1 foot glides, snow plow stops, forward stroking and pumps.

ALPHA/BASIC 3/4: PRE-REQUISITE PRE-ALPHA 2 OR TOT 4.

Skaters are taught right and left push-glides on outside and inside edges, forward stroking, circular pumps, snow plow stops and backward glides.

BETA/BASIC 5: PRE-REQUISITE ALPHA 2.

Skills taught include backward stroking, back pumps straight and on circle, back pumps, backward crossovers, forward outside edge 1 foot glides, T-Stops, and moving 2 foot turns.

GAMMA/BASIC 6: PRE-REQUISITE BETA 2.

Skills taught are outside 3-turns, Mo-hawk sequence, forward inside edge 1 foot glides, 2 foot edges, hockey stops.

DELTA/BASIC 6/PRE-FREESKATE: PRE-REQUISITE GAMMA.

Skills taught are inside 3-turns, forward outside and inside edges, bunny hops, lunge, shoot the duck and 2 foot backward edges.

